

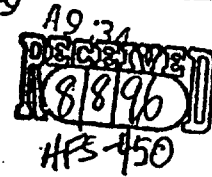


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Acting Director, Office of Special Nutritionals
Center for Food Safety and Applied Nutrition
200 C Street S. W. (HFS-450)
Washington, D.C. 20204

Re: Notification of Statement of Nutritional Support

Dear Dr. Yetley:

Pursuant to Section 6 of the Dietary Supplement Health and Education Act of 1994 (DSHEA), 21 U.S.C. Sec. 343(r)(6), Martek Biosciences Corporation of 6480 Dobbin Road, Columbia, Maryland 21045, is hereby notifying the Food and Drug Administration that within the past 30 days it has started marketing a dietary supplement of DHA (docosahexaenoic acid) that contains a statement of nutritional support. The label bears the following subject statement:

Scientific studies have shown that breast-fed babies have an IQ advantage over babies fed formula without DHA.

This statement is accompanied by the required disclaimer of Section 6(c), 21 U.S.C. Sec. 343(r)(6)(C).

Sincerely,

Steve Dubin
General Counsel

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